

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend Figure 1 to include PRIOR ART as in the attached replacement figure.

REMARKS

Pursuant to the Office Action mailed April 18, 2005, we amend the claims by canceling rejected claims, rewriting objected-to claims in independent form, and attending to claim objections of page 3 of the Office Action. Accordingly, we now submit that claims 6-8, 13-14 and 17 are in condition for allowance.

In particular, dependent claim 6 is amended into an independent claim by incorporating claim limitations of claims 1-5 from which it depends. Claim 7 remains original as depending from claim 6. Claim 13 is amended into an independent claim by incorporating claim limitations of claims 1, 9, 11-12 from which it depends. Finally, minor amendments were made to correct antecedence issues in each of the afore-mentioned independent claims 6, 13, 17. A corrective amendment to claim 13 is also made, to remove the extraneous terms "for said initial focal distance". No new matter is added.

A replacement Figure 1 is included to attend to the Examiner's objection of this figure.

Based on the foregoing, we request a notice of allowance for claims 6-8, 13-14 and 17. It is believed that no fees are due in connection with this amendment. If any additional fee is due, however, please charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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